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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Commissioner:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. Applicant is other than a small entity. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 apply. The shortened statutory period of response was set to expire on August 10, 2006, therefore this response is considered timely filed.

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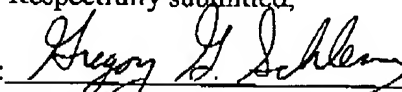
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Respectfully submitted,

Date: August 10, 2006

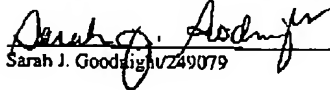
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Dear Commissioner:

This is a Reply to the Office Action mailed May 10, 2006. The original period of response to the Office Action is a shortened statutory period of three (3) months from the mailing date. Accordingly, the time period for response is August 10, 2006, and this Reply is submitted within that time limit. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in the present Application in view of the Amendments and Remarks below.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.